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REPLIES TO CL 2015/6-MAS

(request for information on the applicability of ISO 1211|IDF 1:2010 for lipid determination in tempe)¹
(information provided by Indonesia)

INDONESIA

1. Indonesia would like to confirm that the method for lipid determination contained in ISO 1211|IDF 1:2010 had not been tested on tempe products in Indonesia. Since the scope of the ISO 1211|IDF 1:2010 did not include solid foods and that IDF and ISO did not intend to carry out work to extend the scope (REP15/MAS para 39), we are of the view that this method is not appropriate to replace the current method AOAC 983.23 at this stage.
2. Indonesia shares the same concern raised by CCMAS regarding AOAC 983.23 which used chloroform as a reagent. Indonesia proposes the previous method AOAC 963.15 as stated in Annex I of CL 2012/13-ASIA (Rev) to be further considered as an alternative to replace AOAC 983.23. This is the method for determination of Fat in Cacao Products - Soxhlet Extraction Method.
3. The Committee **is invited to consider** this information.

¹ See REP15/MAS, paragraph 39 for background on the request for information